RESOLUTION NO. 3725

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF SAN ANSELMO APPROVING THE ABAG REPORT "TAMING NATURAL DISASTERS" AS THE TOWN OF SAN ANSELMO'S LOCAL HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN

WHEREAS, the Bay Area is subject to various earthquake-related hazards such as ground shaking, liquefaction, landslides, fault surface rupture, and tsunamis; and

WHEREAS, the Bay Area is subject to various weather-related hazards including wildfires, floods, and landslides; and

WHEREAS, the Town of San Anselmo recognizes that disasters do not recognize city, county, or special district boundaries; and

WHEREAS, the Town of San Anselmo seeks to maintain and enhance both a disasterresistant Town of San Anselmo and region by reducing the potential loss of life, property damage, and environmental degradation from natural disasters, while accelerating economic recovery from those disasters; and

WHEREAS, the Town of San Anselmo is committed to increasing the disaster resistance of the infrastructure, health, housing, economy, government services, education, environment, and land use systems in the Town of San Anselmo, as well as in the Bay Area as a whole; and

WHEREAS, the federal Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000 requires all cities, counties, and special districts to have adopted a Local Hazard Mitigation Plan to receive disaster mitigation funding from FEMA; and

WHEREAS, ABAG has approved and adopted the ABAG report *Taming Natural Disasters* as the multi-jurisdictional Local Hazard Mitigation Plan for the San Francisco Bay Area;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Town of San Anselmo adopts, and adopts with its local annex, this multi-jurisdictional plan as its Local Hazard Mitigation Plan.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Town of San Anselmo commits to continuing to take those actions and initiating further actions, as appropriate, as identified in the Town of San Anselmo Annex of that multi-jurisdictional Local Hazard Mitigation.

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I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was approved by the San Anselmo Town Council on the 24th Day of May, 2005, by the following vote, to wit:

AYES:

Breen, Chignell, Cooper, Kroot, Thornton

NOES:

(none)

ABSENT: (none)

PETER BREEN

Mayor

BARBARA CHAMBERS

Town Clerk